## Lean Leadership and Enterprise Performance Management

### Using Data Visualization to Drive Decisions and Tell Your Agency's Story



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## Please ask questions!

We want this to be of value to you! Agenda for Today



- Why data visualization and analysis are important
- ESD needs, vision, and transformation journey
- How to leverage data to drive decisions and tell ESD's story
- Lean leadership in a data-driven culture
- Cloud-based visual analytic dashboards
- Who needs to be engaged in data visualization and analysis
- Q&A



Scott



# Why Data Visualization and Analysis are Important?

Strategic and Operational Excellence is relevant in every business environment and is necessary to thrive.

The disruptive and uncertain nature of the current business environment reveals that information is power and strong alignment is critical to long-term success.



## **Strategic and Operational Excellence**



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Setting the Stage about Data-Driven Decisions in a Lean Leadership Culture

### Trends for Data Visualization and Analysis

- By 2022, 90% of organizational strategies will explicitly include data and analytics as vital enterprise assets
- By 2023, data literacy will become a necessary driver of commercial and government value
- These facts will be demonstrated through the formal inclusion in 80% of strategies and change management programs (Gartner 2018)
- Mastering data-driven enterprise performance management is a proven strategy to achieve "more with less," especially during dramatic budget cuts and remote workforce
- Understanding their data allows leadership teams to know how to best allocate resources to their strategic initiatives



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## Data Maturity: From Instinct to Optimized



Data: the collection of facts, numbers, words, measurements, descriptions, observations, etc.

#### **OPTIMIZED**

INSIGHT and accessible data INTUITION • Structured data Real-time visual / Automated interactive dash-• Basic data (KPI's) INSTINCT collection boards Manual collection / Basic analytics • Little / no data Understand why Ad hoc collection • Little / no it happened analytics Slow and quality decisions reactionary Understand what and actions Hindsight happened Data-driven culture

#### **Uninformed / Reactive**

- Fully integrated
- Understand what is likely to happen
- Quicker and higher

#### **Informed / Proactive**





Some state agencies using dashboards and huddle boards to transform their culture that we are working with:

- Washington Employment Security Department
- Washington Health Care Authority
- Oregon Department of Human Services
- Oregon Health Authority Health Services Division
- Oregon Department of Transportation (Central Services Division)
- Arizona Department of Corrections



## **Employment Security Department's Story**

## ESD's Four Lines of Service

- **Unemployment:** July 2019: 47,227 claimants vs. July 2020 claimants 408,796 (+656%)
- **Reemployment:** 40 WorkSource offices statewide
- Paid Family and Medical Leave: launched January 2020; more than 104K applications submitted as of August 2020
- Long-Term Care: (new) ESD will collect and assess
   employee premiums

ESD headcount in 2019: 1,669

Who Are We?



#### Anna

## **Employment Security Department's Story**

- 2012: We began implementing Lean eight years ago
- 2015: We deployed Daily Management Boards to increase visibility to data for problem-solving and accountability
  - Didn't have the muscles
  - Didn't feel safe
- 2018: We shifted strategy to focus on the people side of lean and organizational change management. Our new Commissioner joined ESD in 2018, too.
- 2019: We launched the Enterprise Project Management Office to align agency governance, performance, project management, and lean

Where We Are From



## **Employment Security Department's Story**

As an agency, our intent is to build muscle for:

- Being honest with ourselves and others it's ok to be in the red! (if we're taking steps to get better)
- Managing with data
- Improving our ability to plan and execute initiatives
- Increasing visibility to agency priorities aligned to our strategic plan
- Increasing accountability for completing strategic work

We can do this!



# Jennifer

## What We've Done

- Built our sponsorship coalition
   with Executives and Sr. Managers
- Developed agency's Quarterly Target Review (QTR) process
  - Culture of accountability
  - Ground rules / norms
  - Roles and responsibilities
- Planned (and canceled) two
   agency-level QTRs
- Procured Results Software to help us see performance visually

Results

#### The Plan

# Jennifer

## Then 2020 Happened

- 656% increase in demand for unemployment assistance
- Grew headcount from 1,600 to 2,500
- Rapid decision-making environment increased the need and use of data
- Shifted from top down to bottom-up deployment of QTRs
  - Built agency's Project Management dashboard in Results Software
  - Hosted LED team's first QTR



#### The Swerve



Project Name	Strategic Goals / Priorities	Project Owner	Start Date	End Date	Priority	Project Status	Remaining Days	Task Completed	Task Overdue		Project Percent ^ Completion
Automated Financial Systems	Improve organizational effectiveness	Dexter, Carl (ESD)	7/1/2019	9/30/2021	Very High	Active	356	2		5	40.00%
Central Audit Management System	Improve organizational effectiveness		1/1/2019	11/30/2020	Medium	Active	52	3		5	60.00%
Collection Subpoena Processing System (CSPS)	Improve organizational effectiveness	Mitchell, Thomas (ESD)	11/7/2018	10/30/2020	Medium	Active	21	3	1	5	60.00%
EAMS 5.0 (NGTS)	Improve organizational	Shannahan, Michael G	10/30/2017	3/9/2021	Medium	Active	151	3		5	60.00%

#### **Projects Completed**

Project Name	Strategic Goals / Priorities	Project Owner	Start Date	End Date	Priority	Project Status	^
2008 Windows Server Upgrade	Improve organizational effectiveness	Wulff, Bianca (ESD)	7/1/2019	1/14/2020	Medium	Completed	
Customer Journey Mapping	Get benefits to those eligible		5/4/2020	8/30/2020	Medium	Completed	
Employers Support for Furloughs	Get benefits to those eligible	Mitchell, Thomas (ESD)	7/14/2020	7/24/2020	High	Completed	~
Federal COVID Employer	Return to work	Stoner, Bianca (ESD)	6/17/2020	8/7/2020	Very Low	Completed	

## ESD's Project Management Scorecard

Results

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	End Date			
	7/30/2021			
	Project Owner			
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	Project Schedule			
	Ahead of plan			
Date	Project Comments			
Entered				
9/3/2020	9/3/2020: Temporary Project			
	Manager for LMS Upgrade			
	Project assigned 8/24 and			
	transition meeting conducted 8/25. Team working tasks per		Not Started	
	schedule.		2 (40%)	
8/5/2020	8/5 New Project Manager for			
	LMS Upgrade Project onboarded. Updating project			
	governance by identifying			
	core project team members.	~		Task Status
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#### LMS Upgrade

Completed

2 (40%)

#### Project Status

All

Results

MANAGEMENT

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**Project Health Metrics** Date Recorded Status Comments 10/5/2020 Green on track 10/5/2020 Green Risks are resolved. No open risks at this time 10/5/2020 Green 10/5/2020 on track Green 10/5/2020 Green on track

#### Metrics Color Definitions

Red - Some aspect of the project has fallen dramatically behind, has encountered a major setback, is over budget, or is outside the expected parameters.

Yellow - Some aspect (budget, schedule, etc.) of the project is at risk or requires attention. Green - The project does not have any known issues but there is still risk that something could go wrong. As with any project in flight, we are managing it cautiously and we are doing our best to deliver successfully.

Tasks In Progress							
Name	Due Date	Priority	Task Status	On Time?	Comment		
Charter Signed	5/29/2020	Very High	Completed				
Closeout Completed	12/31/2020	Very High	Not Started	On Time			
Lessons Learned	12/16/2020	Very High	Not Started	On Time			
Project Management Plan Approved	6/30/2020	High	Completed				
Schedule Developed	9/30/2020	Very High	Active	Overdue			

## Projectspecific Dashboard



Structure: Maps > LED Scorecard

Navigate Full Map	Full Resolution PDF	Outcome Measures	Process Measures	
Green	Yellow		Red	No Threshold
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#### Lean Engagement & Development Program Fundamentals Map

7/28/2020

No Data

Program Hypothesis								
If we do		Operating	Supporting Processes					
these processes well	Training	Facilitating projects	Facilitating strategic planning	Managing results	Communicating	Reporting		
as measured by (with targets of)	# of classes; # of students; student satisfaction; #GB, YB	# of projects (% by type); # co- facilitators; # of projects by size; project customer satisfaction	# of sessions; % divisions w/ current Strat. Execution Plans	# of QTRs; # QTR active measures	# of blog posts; # of GovD messages & subscribers; # blog comments	# of agency improvements in the inventory		
then outcomes will be	Improved	d processes	agency priori			More engaged staff with stronger lean knowledge, skills, and abilities		
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Scorecard and Mass Ingenuity's Fundamentals Map



#### Process Measures

Map: LED Scorecard	33.33%	
PPP Training Survey Results – Level of Satisfaction Map: LED Scorecard	94	
PPP Training Survey Results – Participant Response Rate Map: LED Scorecard	27.6	
PPP Training Survey Results – Recommend to Others Map: LED Scorecard	100	
IED annual divisional anniante	<b>~~~~</b> (55.56%)	
LED cross-divisional projects Map: LED Scorecard		
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Map: LED Scorecard Requests for LED services	(15	

Anna

Process Measures Scorecard



100% Peppin, Jennife (ESD)

QTR schedule adherence

Map: LED Scorecard

# Jennifer

- Developing our QTR roadmap and results management maturity model
- Building on our grass-roots buy-in
  - Initiating the HR division's QTR process using Results Software
  - Working with the monitoring unit to increase visibility to federally required performance targets and results using Results Software
- Planning for agency-level QTRs in 2021 based on new strategic plan
- Hosting LED team's 2<sup>nd</sup> QTR in November to build our muscles



## Now What?

### The Comeback



# Washington ESD's Transformation Journey

#### From...

- Searching for data and who can run reports, etc.
- Objectives on the strategic plan that sound like "to-do" lists
- Being overly optimistic about how many projects or initiatives we can accomplish at once
- Knowledge of performance gaps and being "in the red" limited to a few and unclear accountability

#### То...

- Data in one easy-to-access place, used by decision-makers
- Meaningful performance measures
   and targets
- Setting realistic limits, saying "no" so "yes" is real, and delivering on time results
- Open discussion of performance gaps with clear accountability and support to improve



### Payment and processing times

## 70%

### Paid within 1 week

Between March 8 and October 3, 2020

Paid within a week includes all claimants paid, and from the time they submit their first weekly claim

Average days waiting for first payment (for those paid after submitting their first weekly claim)	12.8 Days
Average time to resolve claims w/ issues as of 10/3*	8.2 Weeks

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### Initial claims

The number of claims filed is higher than the number of people who have filed claims. Federal guidelines require a separate application for each unemployment program, so a person who applies for more than one program files more than one claim.

State unemployment insurance (UI)	PUA	PEUC
1,615,348	499,554	465,966

#### Initial claims submitted for the week of September 27 - October 3, 2020

State Unemployment Insurance (UI)	PUA	PEUC	Continued/ongoing weekly claims	Total claims	Poculto
15,496	4,151	9,211	477,850	506,708	Results

Using Data to Tell ESD's Story Externally

## Claimants

Includes those who have applied for unemployment benefits March 8 - October 3, 2020.

Total number of individuals who have applied for benefits: 1,384,517 Total number of individuals who have filed an initial claim and have been paid: 1,048,043 (76% of total applicants)

**Total claimants not currently receiving payment and need resolution by ESD:** 20,233 (1.5% of total applicants)



Washington State Claimants





Prosci's Change Management: ADKAR® Model

- Building awareness and desire before pandemic
- Desire increased during pandemic also building our team's knowledge & ability
- Knowledge roadshow in January using LED team as show-and-tell
- Ability working with HR, PPP, Monitoring unit on "how"
- Reinforcement sustaining LED team QTR, will be in an accountability role to reinforce use of QTRs and ground rules





How to Leverage Data Visualization and Analysis to Drive Decisions?

- Define a clear purpose
- Understand what is possible to collect
- Consider the audience that will be using the visualization
- Keep visualization simple
- Capture the narrative of the work along with the actual metric
- Provide training and support on the tools and the visualization
- Design iteratively
- Make using data and visualization easy to use



Chris

## Benefits of Visual Analytic Dashboards

- Integrate all data sources
- Develop interactive and advanced analytics (sort, filter, and drill-down)

Chris

- Cascade and aggregate results
- Gain deeper insight into trends
   and patterns
- Inform quicker and higher quality decisions and actions







# Who Needs to Be Engaged in Data Visualization and Analysis?

Actionable Insights and Data-Driven Decisions Require a Large Network of Inter-Connected Team Members





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#### Results Management **System™**

Grounded in Lean principles, leadership best practices, employee engagement, and waste reduction tools

#### Results **Change Management** MANAGEMENT SYSTEM & SOFTWARE **Fundamentals Map Risk Management Map Breakthrough Map Enterprise Performance** Construction Electron Balancer - Mar Mar Mar Management Strategy to Execution Fundamentals Eliminate Waste in the Routine Work WORK · Break down functional silos Problem Strategic Breakthrough Create clear ownership and accountability **Dashboards** Solving Map and Initiatives · Connect every employee to outcomes **Results** Effectively Manage the Initiatives MANAGEMENT SYSTEM ΠΠ · Translate strategic plan into initiatives & SOFTWARE · Effectively plan strategic and tactical initiatives · Manage/monitor and adjust projects Dashboards & Business Reviews Surface Primary Constraints to Goals **CHECK IN** · Implement disciplined business reviews on your **OPERATIONAL STRATEGIC** operations and strategic plan **Business Reviews** · Conduct data-based assessments of your progress **EXCELLENCE EXCELLENCE** · Align on where there is more to be done **Routine Work** Initiatives **Problem Solving** Identify and Eliminate Root Causes of Waste · Focus improvement on primary constraints **DECIDE & ACT** · Leverage a common process improvement methodology to enhance collaboration Hold the gains Working IN The Business Working ON The Business



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